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09/17/01**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**
(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))Attorney Docket No. 42390.P12273
(maximum 12 characters)First Named Inventor Patrick J. LuhmannTitle: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR REDUCING RECEIVE INTERRUPTS VIA PACED INGRESS INDICATIONExpress Mail Label No. EL861981754USADDRESS TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Box Patent Application
Washington, D. C. 20231**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. Applicant Claims Small Entity Status. (37 CFR 1.27)
3. Specification (Total Pages 27)
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive Title of the Invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. Drawings(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets 4)
5. Oath or Declaration (Total Pages 5)
 - a. Newly Executed (Original or Copy)
 - b. Copy from a Prior Application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for Continuation/Divisional with Box 17 completed)
 - i. DELETIONS OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
 - c. Unsigned.
6. Application Data Sheet. (37 CFR 1.76)
7. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)
 - a. Computer Readable Form (CRF)
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 - i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ii. paper
 - c. Statement verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. **Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents(s))**
10. a. Separate 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (where there is an assignee)
 b. Power of Attorney
11. English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. a. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
 b. Copies of IDS Citations
13. **Preliminary Amendment**
14. **Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)**
15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)
16. **Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.**
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Of Prior Application No.: _____ **Examiner** _____ **Group Art Unit** _____

(which is a continuation/ divisional/ CIP of prior application no. _____, which is a continuation/ divisional/ CIP of prior application no. _____) (List entire chain of priority)

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108	710	208	355	Plant filing fee	<u></u>
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	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee from below</u>	<u>Fee Paid</u>
Total Claims <u>34</u>	<u>- 20** = 14</u>	<u>X 18.00</u>	<u>= 252.00</u>
Independent Claims <u>4</u>	<u>- 3** = 1</u>	<u>X 80.00</u>	<u>= 80.00</u>
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103	18	203	9	Fee Description	
102	80	202	40	Claims in excess of 20	
104	270	204	135	Independent claims in excess of 3	
109	80	209	40	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
110	18	210	9	**Reissue independent claims over original patent	
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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

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105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive – unavoidable	
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220	Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40.00
146	710	246	355	For filing a submission after final rejection (see 37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (see 37 CFR 1.129(b))	
179	710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
195	300	195	300	Publication fee for early, voluntary, or normal publication	
196	300	196	300	Publication fee for republication	
194	130	194	130	Request for voluntary publication or republication	
098	130	098	130	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i)	
091	1,240	091	1,240	Acceptance of unintentionally delayed claim for priority	

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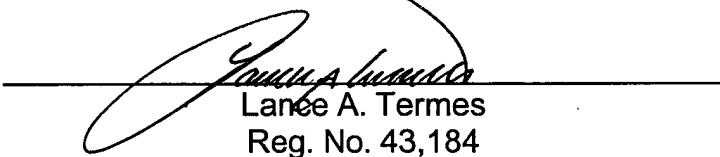
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METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR REDUCING RECEIVE INTERRUPTS VIA PACED INGRESS INDICATION

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